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BARNUM'S CIRCUS IN GERMANY

(Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.)

Kaiserslautern, Oct. 3.—The great event of the season in this provincial town was the visit of Barnum & Bailey's great show, which took place here yesterday, and thinking it might interest some of your readers who people in Germany think and say of it, I feel tempted to give you a short description of the same.

About a month ago the advance agents of the show appeared here and had numerous large sign boards erected, as well in the city, as in the very large number of neighboring villages within a radius of 35 miles of the city.

The rapidity with which these sign boards were erected by Barnum's men and with which the great advertisements were stuck upon them, was quite a revelation to the people of this country and I heard a competent judge say that it would take the average paperhanger a day to do the work two of Barnum's men performed in 15 minutes.

Since the circus has been the talk of the town; all sorts of opinions were expressed, a good many denouncing it as a great American humbug. When finally the day of the show came the city was all expectation and excitement.

Barnum's three great trains rolled into the railroad station at 4 o'clock in the morning and at 6 o'clock thousands of strangers in all sorts of vehicles and trains, as the management had arranged for eight specials on that day, continued to arrive here and by 8 o'clock thousands of people had gathered around the show and filled the adjoining streets, and the restaurants were doing an immense business with concerts going on in a number of them.

Nearly all the large factories and all the schoolhouses were closed and the whole event celebrated as a regular holiday. By 8 o'clock all the tents, about 15 in number, with the exception of the big show tent, which all the employees were cooked, the blacksmith shop and all other departments being in full operation.

The erection of the main tent was completed in less than three hours. The quiet, unostentatious systematic way in which all this was done was a revelation to the people around here and the speed with which it was accomplished amazed them, to say the least.

An old lady was heard saying that witchcraft must have been instrumental in the erection of this immense show. All agreed that it would be a matter of impossibility for a German set of workmen to accomplish such an immense task in such a limited time. There was apparently no haste, no excitement and no whooping and howling of the overseers with the men at work, which is so customary here. The management of all the hands was simply superb. In America the public would give little or no attention to such proceedings, because it is nothing new, but here it was watched with the most intense interest, particularly by the better classes. Even the work of the heavy draught horses was done in a similar manner, not a whip being used by any of the drivers of the numerous six and eight horse teams, every horse taking its proper place for the purpose of being hitched up. The transportation department was keenly watched by several army officers and highly praised for its efficiency in unloading and loading the immense show in less than three hours. The animals in the menagerie were all in splendid condition and much better kept than they usually are in such shows. When one takes into consideration the fact that some times for a week running this great show gives two exhibitions daily in a different city, it must be conceded that the management is simply marvelous, and that men as well as beasts are taxed to their full capacity. Last night the show travelled four hours to reach the city of Mainz, where it gives two exhibitions today. The opinion of the show itself, is that it is a meritorious one, containing, besides a great number of common place features, various ones which are new to the public here, and it is contended that some features in Europe shows require greater skill and more endurance on the part of the actors, but the often very unfavorable criticism, which existed before the arrival of the show has entirely disappeared.

L. KRAFFT.

LOOKS THROUGH PEEP HOLES.

Rev. Dr. J. K. Dixon's family with rich Mrs. Amerman was aired in the Divorce Court, before Judge Fessenden, in Boston yesterday, his wife, who is suing for divorce, and the family nurse furnishing spic evidence.

Miss Katherine Galvin, the nurse, testified that in Scranton, in 1896, she peeped through the key hole of the parson's library door, and saw him kiss the fair woman Amerman. She had heard the doctor abuse his wife and had seen him kick her seriously. Then Mrs. Dixon began the account of the doctor's attentions to Mrs. Amerman during his summer vacation in 1898, at East Hampton. She said that her daughter was sick with diphtheria, and was quarantined with her on

the top floor of the hotel. After two or three days, in consequence of information received from servants, the witness watched at the head of the third-story staircase, and twice saw Mrs. Amerman in the vicinity of Dr. Dixon's room. She then went into an unfurnished part of the third story and punched holes through the plaster, so that she could see down into her husband's room. From this point of vantage, Mrs. Dixon said that she witnessed an affectionate scene between the two, but added that after this her peep holes were filled up. On another occasion, the witness continued, she climbed out on the roof of a piazza outside of Mrs. Amerman's window and then watched for developments. The developments were not waiting, for after a few minutes of waiting Mrs. Dixon was awarded by seeing Mrs. Amerman enter the room lightly clad, and Dr. Dixon administered a sponge bath with sea water.

DOES IT PAY TO BUY CHEAP?

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